

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Board of Zoning Adjustment



Office of Zoning

Application No. 16652 of Lionel and Ann Rosenblatt, pursuant to 11 DCMR 3103.2 for a variance under Subsection 404.1 from the required minimum depth of rear yard setback for a proposed handicapped addition to an existing single-family dwelling, or, in the alternative pursuant to Section 3104.1 for a special exception under Section 223 in an R-1-B District at 3928 Huntington Street, N.W. (Square 1754, Lot 71).

NOTE: The Board determined that the application meets the requirements of Section 223 and, therefore, can be approved under the special exception provision of the Zoning Regulations.

HEARING DATE: February 6, 2001

DECISION DATE: February 6, 2001

SUMMARY ORDER

The zoning relief requested in this case is by a zoning memorandum from the Division of Zoning of the Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs that specifies the zoning relief required by the applicant.

The Board provided proper and timely notice of the public hearing on this application by publication in the D.C. Register, by mail to Advisory Neighborhood Commission (ANC) 3E and to owners of property within 200 feet of the site.

The site of the application is located within the jurisdiction of ANC 3E. ANC 3E, which is automatically a party to this application, did not submit a written statement on the application.

As directed by 11 DCMR 3119.2, the Board required the applicant to satisfy the burden of proving the elements, which are necessary to establish the case for a special exception pursuant to 11 DCMR Subsection 3104.1. No person or entity appearing as a party to this case testified in opposition to the application. Accordingly, a decision by the Board to grant this application would not be adverse to any party.

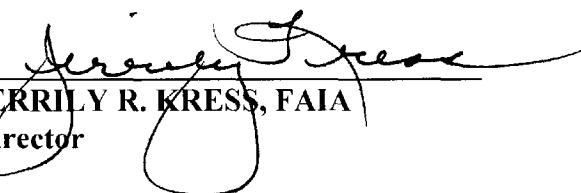
Based upon the record before the Board, the Board concludes that the applicant has met the burden of proof, pursuant to 11 DCMR Section 223, that the requested relief can be granted as being in harmony with the general purpose and intent of the Zoning Regulations and Map. The Board further concludes that granting the requested relief will not tend to affect adversely the use of neighboring property in accordance with the Zoning Regulations and Map. It is therefore **ORDERED** that the application be **GRANTED**.

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Pursuant to 11 DCMR 3101.6, the Board waived the requirement of 11 DCMR 3125.3 that findings of fact and conclusions of law accompany the order of the Board. The waiver will not prejudice the rights of any party, and is appropriate in this case.

VOTE: 4 to 0 (Robert Sockwell, Anne Renshaw, Anthony Hood and Susan Morgan Hinton to grant.)

BY ORDER OF THE D.C. BOARD OF ZONING ADJUSTMENT

ATTESTED BY: 
JERRILY R. KRESS, FAIA
Director

FINAL DATE OF ORDER: FEB - 8 2001

PURSUANT TO D.C. CODE SEC. 1-2531 (1999), SECTION 267 OF D.C. LAW 2-38, THE HUMAN RIGHTS ACT OF 1977, THE APPLICANT IS REQUIRED TO COMPLY FULLY WITH THE PROVISIONS OF D.C. LAW 2-38, AS AMENDED, CODIFIED AS D.C. CODE, TITLE 1, CHAPTER 25 (1999), AND THIS ORDER IS CONDITIONED UPON FULL COMPLIANCE WITH THOSE PROVISIONS. THE FAILURE OR REFUSAL OF APPLICANT TO COMPLY WITH ANY PROVISIONS OF D.C. LAW 2-38, AS AMENDED, SHALL BE A PROPER BASIS FOR THE REVOCATION OF THIS ORDER.

UNDER 11 DCMR 3125.9 "NO ORDER OF THE BOARD SHALL TAKE EFFECT UNTIL TEN (10) DAYS AFTER IT BECOMES FINAL PURSUANT TO § 3125.6."

PURSUANT TO 11 DCMR 3130.3, THIS ORDER OF THE BOARD IS VALID FOR A PERIOD OF SIX MONTHS, UNLESS SUCH USE IS ESTABLISHED WITHIN SUCH PERIOD.

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As Director of the Office of Zoning, I hereby certify and attest that on FEB - 8 2001 a copy of the order entered on that date in this matter was mailed first class, postage prepaid, to each party who appeared and participated in the public hearing concerning the matter, and who is listed below:

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